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Dayton Legal Blank, Inc.

Form No. 30043

Ordinance No. 98-09

Passed November 23, 2009

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(Street & Alley)

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An ordinance adopting a Traffic Calming Policy for the City of North Canton ("City").

WHEREAS, concerns have been expressed in regards to issues relating to traffic in the City of North Canton; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of the City of North Canton have sought relief to those same traffic concerns.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF THE NORTH CANTON, COUNTY OF STARK, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1. That the Traffic Calming Policy for the City of North Canton, be, and the same is hereby adopted.

Section 2. That the Traffic Calming Policy for the City be designed to provide a process through which residents can register concerns about traffic issues and have those concerns systematically addressed.

Section 3. EDUCATION AND ENFORCEMENT:

A. Before requesting the City's neighborhood Traffic Calming Program, residents should first pursue neighborhood speed-reduction options with the Police Department. If such efforts have not been pursued, the City will advise the requesting applicant as to programs they would need to initiate prior to proceeding with a traffic-calming evaluation request. Once these options have been pursued, and if the City has determined these initiatives to be ineffective, staff will then advise the residents to proceed with the neighborhood Traffic-Calming Program.

B. If a neighborhood feels these strategies have been ineffective, the neighborhood may then choose to proceed to request evaluation for traffic calming measures. The neighborhood must deliver the request to the City Engineering Department, which will evaluate to what extent other actions have been pursued by the residents of the requesting area and determine whether these steps have been effective. If efforts, such as requests for increased enforcement, the use of a traffic statistics collection device in the neighborhood, and neighborhood speed watch programs have been used by the residents and City staff has determined them ineffective in the reduction of volume, speed, non-local or cut-through traffic, and accidents, then the request will proceed to the next step.

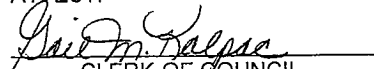
Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

NORTH CANTON, OH
Passed: 11/23/09


MAYOR

SIGNED: 11/25, 2009

ATTEST:


CLERK OF COUNCIL